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25 do Boker's Bitters;
10 hinds Bass No. 3 Aie;
5 casks White Wine Vinegar.

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For eale by
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HEANDY...In hhds, qreasks and cases;

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OLD TOM...In hhds, qreasks and cases;

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MERER RY-in case and bulk-superior PORT

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To work on a wagon Road From
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No one will be hired for a period less than two
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Application to be made to the undersigned, at
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G. B. WRIGHT & CO.

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TO WORK ON THE GREAT TRUNK
Wagen kind from Yale to Carlboo.
Wages will be paid in cash on the Road.
Sub-contracts will be let in large and small-sections

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Apply to T SPENCE, Boston Bar; or to Messrs O'! EMIRIMEN, Yale; or to Mr. GEO. LAND-WOIGHT, Hope.

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Victoria, V. I., 11th April.

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Real Estate Agent,

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Orto the Half-WAY House,
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To Let at Esquimalt.
A DWELLING HOUNE BEAUTIFUL.
A DINALL COUTAGE, together with outbuilding,

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A TWO STORY COTTAGE AT ES-quimalt, recently built. containing two Sit-ting Rooms, three Bed Rooms, Kitchen, back Kitchen, etc. Kitchen, etc.

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GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highcertates.
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Treatment of all Discusses without Mercary. MISCELLANEOUS.

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-ALSO-Beautiful Colored Table Covers;

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BALMORAL SKIRTS;

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An Excellent Article; Together with a large and varied assortment of other goods, all of which she will sell at her usual low prices.

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EX "SARAH," FROM SAN FRANCISCO,

BAGS RIO COFFEE;
Cases J H & Co.'s Lard;
Boxes Candles
Cases Green Corn, 2-b cans;
Cases Green Corn, 2-b cans;
Boxes Colgate Starch;
Regs E. B. Syrup;
Cases Mason's Blackits;
Boxes Corn Starch;
Boxes Corn Starch; Cases Mason's Discussing:
Boxes Corn Starch;
Cases Pepper Sauce;
Cases Fresh Tomatoes;
Cases Saleratus;
Kegs Pickles;
Cases Glive Oll;
Cases Ground Pepper;
Bags Fine Suit.

IN STORE: Cares Roast Beef; Cases II. B. & Co.'s Oysters; Cases I'e Fruits; Bbis Mess Pork; Boxes No. 1 Pale Soap; Cleafs Superior Tea; Baics Manilla Wrapping Paper,

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A. P. EVERETT,
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CUT IRON PLOW BITS DRAWING KNIVES, AUGERS,

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Wharf street. Victoria, V. I. Ex Speedy,"

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60 GOOD PACK MULES IN EXCEL-mio im JAMES LOWE

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ordered out, and so charged. JOB PRINTING. Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the

work. Saturday Morning. May 24, 1862.

The Incorporation Bill.

A glance at some of the provisions of this bill may be time wasted, owing to the ob structive character of the government rendering it next to impossible to change them. Nevertheless it is well enough to know something of what our magnates intend to do for the town. The bill does not state what are the limits of the city or the boundaries of the wards. We are left to pictureography or a plan to get an idea of boundaries—a very imperfect means indeed. When the Imperial Parliament passed the Organic Act of British Colambia, it might just as well have referred to some plan or Arrowsmith's Forwarder and Custom House Broker map, instead of defining the boundaries of the colony. But our bill-makers are far more astute, in their own estimation, than the Imperial Parliament. Yet we cannot help believing that a definite description of bou nda ry ought to be the first article in an act incorporating a town. The wards in like manner bear perfect blunderbuss names. We are to have three wards; and instead of Ward No. 1, 2 or 3, there will be Johnson Street Ward, Yates Street Ward and James Bay Ward. The nomenclature is as bungling as the city boundaries are indefinitely discribed.

There is to be a Mayor and six Councillors. The qualification of these functionaries is fixed for the first election; freehold £50. leasehold £600; and at all subsequent elections, freehold £50, and leasehold £150. A plurality, not a majority, of votes elect. Elections are to be held annually. No memher of the Legislative Council, Assembly, Minister, Sheriff's Officers, Judge, or person drawing money from the corporation, is qualified for mayor or councillor. There are to be two councillors to each ward. It appears to be assumed, consequently, that population is not the basis of representation Thus James Bay ward, which is sparsely settled, and possesses perhaps fewer votes is to possess as many representatives as Yates street ward, in the centre of the town, and densely populated. A fine of £50 will be imposed on any person who refuses to serve as mayor or councillor. The first and future elections are to be held on November 8th; why, no one can tell. Some day has 25 casks Morrice Cox & Co.'s botto be fixed, but one would naturally suppose that if the town is to be incorporated this year, it ought to be organised forthwith, let the subsequent annual elections fall on whatever day they may. At the first election only those on the list of registered voters for the election of representatives to the Assembly can vote. Subsequently, all British subjects rated on the municipal assessment roll shall be qualified voters. If a voter holds property in each ward, he will be allowed to vote in each ward. Such a pro-

vision deserves to be obliterated. The power of the Council will be very limited indeed. Only the most ordinary privileges are conceded. It is not empow ered to exercise any control over the Police, nor made liable to pay them. No provision for Schools is given in the bill; and whilst they are authorized to take charge of the highways and keep them in repair, there is TUESDAY, May 27th, 1862, no mention of control over Beacon Hill Park, reserves on the water front, or the Church Reserve and springs. One absurd provision however makes it incumbant on the town to keep the Esquimalt road in repair as far as the Town of Esquimalt! Besides the town is to provide for the maintenance of hospitals. In the financial provisions it is made binding on the council to draw at least one half of the city revenue from free-hold or leasehold property within the city; but in no case in the Council authorised to levy a tax on personal property. So we have the same old absurdity persisted in. Personal property is not to be touched. Once let a town council of sensible men be elected, and the ex emption of personal property from tax will be ended. There is no spacific sum fixed beyond which the city cannot go in debt. But it is simply stated that no debt can be contracted in anticipation of revenue for a greater sum than one third of the revenue for three years. So whatever scrip may be issued will be very small,

Provision is made for referring to the electors any ordinance or bye-law either by the Council or Governor and a plurality of ayes or noes decides the question. Why the Governor is allowed any say in civic matters we cannot comprehend, except he wishes to make himself what he always has been a kind of public factotum. None of the vagaries of government can be more distasteful to the electors than that provision of the incorporation bill which makes the Governor's aspent in writing to all ordinances and bye-laws pre-requisite to putting them in force. It is an insult to the intelligence of the town. It is tantamount to saying what Mr. Cary said in the Assembly, that the towns people were not fit for self-government. A civilian governor gew-gawed in silver lace on all ordinary occasions, is not a whit more ludierous or unusual way in British American colonies to exhibit the insignia of authority than to make the Governor the de facto mayor and council of this town, by granting him a veto on all ordinances and bye-laws. We are surprised to see a man possessing the ability of Gov. Douglas assenting to such a proposition—sending a bill down to the Assembly to be enacted, under which Mr. Cary and himself may, at any moment, overturn the deliberate action of the Council. The selfimposed labor-drudgery -- of looking after the minutia of every bye-law is as much beneath the dignity of a Governor as such interference in civic matters is degrading to a free people capable of self government.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Removal.

BARNARD'S EXPRESS.

OFFICE REMOVED TO YATES STREET, opposite Hibben & Carswell's. WILLIAM CULVERWELL,
Agent.

F. J. BARNARD,

Columbia st., New Westminster, B. C.

Columbia st., New Westminster, B. C.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INform Shippers and the public generally that he
has opened an Office at New Westminster for the
transaction of Custom House business. Parties importing goods to British Columbia can have their
Landing Warrants prepared and passed through the
Customs without delay, at moderate charges
Goods intrusted to his care will be forwarded to
destination with all poss.ble dispatch.

Barnard's Express Office, Yates st., May 24, 1862.}

AUCTION

MONDAY, May 26th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

Mr. J. A. McCREA

WILL SELL

AT SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET,

BABY WAGONS.

6 superior Go-Carts or Baby Wagons, double

Liquors.

11 casks Holland Gin;

50 cases Geneva Gin (green cases).

Porter. FOR ACCOUNT WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

Damaged on Voyage of Importation,

At commencement of Sale, at 11 o'clock precisely,

On the H. B. Co.'s Wharf,

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One superior Dulcimer.

-ALSO - BE WOOM 7 bbls circle A San Francisco Re-

finery Crushed Sugar; 50 hf bbls, 100 lbs ca., super German Crushed Sugar; 30 hf bbls S. I. Sugar, No. 1;

20 bbls do. do. No. 2; 10 chests superior Oolong Tea,

1-1b papers; 20 mats China Sugar, 100 lbs ea. 4 pockets.

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

AT THE RESIDENCE OF MR. JAMES MORRIS, ON FORT ST.,

FURNITURE.

All that well kept Furniture in the above

Wednesday, May 28th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

AT SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET,

Special Credit Sale

BOOTS & SHOES,

Clothing and Dry Goods,

EX STEAMERS "OREGON" AND "SIERRA

30 cases Wing's Boots, assorted; 20 cases various styles Boots;

10 caaes various styles Shoss; Assortment of Clothing, Shirts, Dry Goods, &c., particulars hereafter.

J. A. MeCREA,

For Bentinck Arm.

THE PAST SAILING SCHOONER ELIZABETH. CAPT. MELVIN.

WILL LEAVE FOR BENTINCK ARM on THURSDAY, the 29th May, or sooner, if a nufficient number of passengers can be obtained. For Freight or Fassage apply to

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Victoria, 23d May, 1862.

TIO-MORROW, THE 24TH INSTANT, being the Anniversary of the Birth of Her Majesty the QUEEN, will be kept as a Hollday at all the Public Offices. W.A. G. YOUNG.

Public Notice.

A LL DOGS FOUND ON THE RACE 26th first, between the hours of 12. Majand 5, F. M., will be shot. By order of THE COMMITTEE.

MR. DAVIE,

FROM LONDON, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, and Licentiate of the Society of Apothe-

carles, London.

HAS ENTABLISHED HIMSELF FOR
practice at Victoria, V. I. and occupies the
house on Fort street, just vacated by Dr. Atkinson,
together with the office on Government street, next
door to Mr. Searby's drug store.

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The Races.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL BE HAPPY to wait on his patrons and the public generally, on BEACON HILL, during the ensuing Races, given in honer of

Her Majesty's Birth-Day. The public can depend on getting a good glass of Liquor in my tent.

Liquors 12% Cents per Glass. ICE DRINKS OF ALL KINDS.

THOMAS H. McCANN,

Queen's Birthday. TOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF the Public we shall open a

STAND AT BEACON HILL, On Queen's Birthday and the ensuing Monday.

LIQUORS 12% CENTS. ICED AND MIXED DRINKS.

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LEWIS DAVIS, Star and Garter Hotel. JAMES WILCOX, Royal Hotel.

F. J. SCHAEFFER & CO., IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF Wagon and Carriage Material,

Nos. 12 and 14 Pine st., San Francisco And 73 and 75 E street, Maryville.

HAVE NOW ON HAND AND CONSTANTly arriving from the Eastern States, the largest
and best selected stock of WAGON and CARRIAGE
MATERIALS ever offered in this market, consisting of

Oak, Ash, Hickory and Maple Lumber, Oak

and Hickory Spokes,
Finished and unfinished. Also, a large stock of
Plough Frames and Handles,

Which we are offering at the LOWEST PRICES and on terms to suit. Parties in the country favoring us with an order can depend upon receiving an A No 1 article. A share of the trade respectfully solicited. m24 3mis

Real Estate Tax Act, 1860. A LI. COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE
Assessment Roll for Victoria Town, 1892, in accordance with the above Act, must be handed in to
the Court of Revision, through the Assessors and
Sheriff, within fourteen days from this date
By order.

LI. HICKLEY Clark

By order.

J. L. BUCKLEY, Clerk.

Victoria, May 22, 1862

J. NAGLE & CO., PASSENGER AGENTS.

Bute, Bentinck and Stickeen Routes Corner of Commercial and View streets, near the Post Office

PASSENGERS BY THESE ROUTES can receive the most reliable information by applying at the Office, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 F. M., where extensive Charts, Maps, and plans are to rether insection.

NOTICE.

A LL CLAIMS AGAINST J. P. HOCTOR, ment on or before Saturday, 24th int.; and all persons who are indebted to him are requested to come forward immediately and settle their bills. J. P. HOCTOR. m22 3t

Victoria, May 21, 1862.

VICTORIA RACES

In Commemoration of

Her Majesty's Birth-Day. To take Place on Beacon Hill,

SATURDAY and MONDAY

THE 24TH AND 26TH MAY, INSTANT. FIRST DAY.

[SATURDAY.] To commence at 1 o'clock, P. M.
PI.AT HACK, Stakes of Seech with a Purse
of 850 added, catch weights, and free for all
horses, Island bred. Mile heats, 2 in 8.

Blue—G. Richardson na. b.g. "Punch." Green and red cap—G. Francis na. b.g. "Geordie." Blue and wkite cap—H. W. Richardson na. black elding "Bonsparte."

THADESMAN'S PLATE, value of \$150 in specie, with entrance lee of \$55 added. Three horses to start, or the public money to be withheld. Weight ior age. Mile heats as be-

Blue B and scarlet csp.—T. Harris na. b.g. "Jo Blue B red sleeves and striped cap.—G. Roberts Gream g. "Silvertail." Blue and orange.—J. Parker na. s.g. "Dick." Half thet. Four. Half past Four

I.A DIRN' PUBER, Not less than 3100 with en-trance of 810. Open to all horses except win-ner of Tradesman Plate Pink Jacket and white cap—I. T. Shannon us. b g

Blue B and scarlet cap-T. Harris na. chesnut g Jim."
Blue and orange—J. T. Howard na. chesnut horse
Pet. "

SECOND DAY. [MONDAY.]

ence at 1 o'elock.

ITURDIE RACE. \$100; entrance \$10, added; free for all horses. Weight not less than 11 st. Mile heats. Four hurdles. Two o'clock.

SECOND RACE. For beaten horses of all de-nominations. Entrance S5. Weights as before nominations. Entrance 25. Weight as before POST HANDICAP of 25, with a purse to be hamed and added at the time of entry. Weight —under 5 years, 2 st. (over 5 years, 10 st. All horses, except for Fost Race, to be entered at the Star and Garte—Hotel, not later than 10 F. M., on the evening of FRIDAY preceeding the Races. By order of the Committee. m21 td

Asparagus Plants, RAISED IN VICTORIA,

\$2 50 PER HUNDRED Apply to W. M. SEARBY,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Town Property.

IMPORTANT SALE.

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY, May 27th, 1862,

AT THEIR ROOMS, ON GOVERNMENT ST.,

MARRO & MOAt 12 o'clock, noon,

The following Property in Victoria, viz: THOSE TWO DESIRABLE CORNER LOTS Nos. 945 and 952 on Quebec street and John street, James Bay.

-ALSO-

A Water Lot in Victoria Harbor, No. 1296 Montreal street.

Lot No. 1941 Superior street, James Bay.

-ALSO-

That desirable Building Lot situate 160 feet east from the corner of Douvlas street, on Pandora street, being Lot No. 2, Block 1257. House and Lot corner of Government street and Herald street, 40 feet on Government street by 80 feet in depth on Herald street, forming part of Lots 618 and 619.

Corner Lot No. 397 Johnson and Quadra streets

WORLD & WOLKE -ALSO

House and Lot corner of View and Quadra sts., No. 996, with garden.

Fort street Property—The Lots Nos. 288 and 299, between Blanchard and Quadra streets, both under fonce and in the midst of improvements.

Lot No. 256, Kane street, near Blanchard street,

Lot No. 1019, fronting on Fort and Meares sts.

-ALSO-Three Business Lots on Discovery street and Pembroke street, between Government and Store treets, namely, No. 516, next Government street; No. 529, Ditte; No. 520, Adjoining.

Lot 613 Herald street, between Government and

Town Lots corner of Superior street, facing th Government Buildings, Nos. 1728, 1729, 1730 and 1731.

Lot No. 791, corner of View and Quadra streets. 790, adjoining. 788, View street.

Lot No. 1044 Johnson street, next to the corner of Cooke street.

Lot No. 685, Fisguard street, between Douglas and Blanchard streets.

Two Acres running from the New Esquimalt Road to the old, and adjoining the St. George and Dragon; it is fenced in and cleared.

-ALSO-

One Acre of water frontage, forming a portion of section 51, Esquimalt.

-ALSO-MA ABORRA

Subdivisions Nos. 6 and 23 of Five-Acre Lot

The Terms of this Sale will be highly favorable, as a liberal credit at a low rate of interest will be allowed on the greater portion, the particulars re-garding which will be hereafter announced. Deeds of transfer at the buyer's expense. m21

TP Further information may be obtained at the Office of the Auctioneers, Government street.

Just Received,

600 QR. SACKS MAGNOLIA and STANDARD
Mills Extra Flour,
600 the Object Recurrent Hams, in gunnies;
60 the Object Family Mess Beet;
60 these Southout Tea;
75 boxes Thain's Adamantine Candles.

For sale by J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,

Bank of British North America.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER IN 1840.

CAPITAL......55,000,000.

Victoria Branch.

SPECIAL DEPOSITS RECEIVED, at a charge rlanfe-reeping of 25 cents per \$100 per month, re-cyable on demand. GOLD DUST RECEIVED for safe-keeping at the rate of 5 cents per oz. per month. rate of 5 cents per oz. per month.

DRAFTS ISSUED ON LONDON at 60 days' sight, at the rate of \$4.50 per £1 sterling.

Do. for small sums, payable 3 days after sight, at \$6.10 per £1 sterling.

25 to per £1 sterling.

Drafts on demand issued on the Provincial Bank of Ireland and the National Bank of Scotland on all Towns where these Banks have Offices Rate, \$50 fo per £1 sterling.

Drafts on New York and the principal cities in the Korth American Provinces are issued at \$2 days' sight, at the following rates:

Drafts issued on Messrs, B. Davidson & May, San Francisco On hills lodged for collection, if payable in Victo-ria, a commission of K per cent. Hills of Exchalige purchased and ordinary Banking business transacted.

J. G. SHEFIERD,

J. G. SHEPHERD, Manager, m21 1m Victoria, 19th May, 186s.

MISCELLANEOUS.

JAMES S. HARRISON, LANGLEY STREET,

BEGS TO APPRISE HIS FRIENDS IN VICTO-rela, Traders and Packers in British Columbia, residents in Washington Territory and adjacent places, that he has commenced the

Importing and General

And that he is prepared to execute orders for Grain and California production of all kinds, including

Sheep, Cattle and Horses,

Having engaged one of the best and most experienced buyers to watch the

MARKETS OF SAN FRANCISCO. With plenty of means at his command.

HAS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT,

50 20 hdd do do;

N. B.—Cash buyers will receive marked attention.

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JAMES S. HARRISON

HAS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT, 75 BBLS. SUPERFINE FLOUR; do do to arrive; 125 do do do do do;

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Invoices of Dry Goods, consisting of-Rich Cashmeres: Fine Organder Muslins; Finest English Prints; Wool Plaids, etc., etc.

HAS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT, SUPERIOR Pack Saddles; Aparejos, fully rigged.

890 BAGS Choice Barley; 400 do Oats; 200 do Bran; 8 tons Hay. m21

H AS for sale to arrive by each steamer,
Fresh Butter from the best Dairies,
New Cheese from do
New Bacon do do
New Lard do do

JAMES S. HARRISON HAS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT,

A N Invoice of Wood and Willow ware, suitable for this or any other market.

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Half BBLS. EXTRA CLEAR PORK; Firkins Isthmus Butter;

A. P. EVERETT, No 10 Wharf street

An Invoice of

TINWARE, Selected expressly for this Market,

A ND SUITABLE FOR HOTELS AND private families, consisting of

Two Patent Ment Screen,

With Bottle Jacks complete for Roasting Improved Glenny Watering Pots.

8 Commercial Row, Wharf street, Next door to P. M. Baskus' Auction Rooms. m21 1m

DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,

G. VIGNOLO & CO.,

Groceries and Provisions -AI 80-

A PPLY AT OFFICE OF VICTORIA Coal & Lumber Co, City Wharf, foot of Yates

COMMISSION BUSINESS,

J. S. H. has no hesitation in saying that he can offer inducements heretofore unknown in Victoria to parties wishing to import through him their own Goods. Charges will be on the most moderate scale and dispatch guaranteed, m21 ti

JAMES S. HARRISON

Agent for the Santa Rosa Mills. m21 tf JAMES S. HARRISON

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HAS FOR SALE, IN LOIS TO SUIT, I NDIAN Rubber Coats;
Do do Pants;
Do do Cariboo Blankets.

Essence of Coffee; Condensed Vegetables; Do Ments of all kinds.

A SUPERIOR Invoice of Wool Undershirts; Overshirts, Drawers, Hose, etc.;

JAMES S. HARRISON

James S. Harrison HAS FOR SALE, TO ARRIVE,

Pork, Butter, Coffee.

Sandwich Island Coffee. For sale by

Just Received ex Salamander

Cash and Till Boxes, and a variety of Tinsmith's Purniture.

DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. - The stomach is the fountain head of scores of diseases which infest the human system. Indigestion, bad enough per se, generates diarrhœa, dysentery, faint ness, vertigo, palpitation of the heart, general de-bility, etc. Get rid of it, then, at once, by going

A palatable and refreehing preparation, which as surely relieves all complaints of the stomach and its dependencies, as the sunshine melts the snow. A course of the medicine may not perhaps be necessary One bottle frequently accomplishes a complete cure Soid by all Drugglists and dealers every where, mile lin

No. 2 Heid's Block, Wharf street, IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

mporfers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.

Besides Foreign Merchandise in Bond.

50 do do do do 125 do do 50 tierces Pilot Bread; 20 cases do do; 600 tacks new Bran;

HAS FOR SALE, IN LOTS TO SUIT,

2O BBLS. first quality Mess Pork;
5- hi bbls do Clear Pork;
50 qr do do do;
20 bbls Family Mess Beef;
10 case Extra California Dairy Cheese;
10 do English Dairy do. m21

20 OCTAVES Fine Brandy; 20 bbls Old Whisky; A few cases very old Jug Whisky.

JAMES S. HARRISON

HAS FOR SALE, AND JUST TO ARRIVE, THE IDENTICAL FOR CARIBOO.

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James S. Harrison

TEA POTS, Coffee Pots, Tea Kettles, Saucepans, a good selection of Electro-Plated Spoons and Forks, and many other articles for do-mestic use.

ALSO—An Invoice of Spear & Jackson's Files and Rasps ARTHUR FELLOWS

Wood Chopers Wanted.

ARBEST OF A NOTORIOUS CHARACTER-A RE-MINISCENCE -On Thursday night Sergt. Blake. of the police force, discovered a well known Hydah Indian thief, named "Joe," carrying a streets, and overhauling the scamp, compelled him to exhibit the contents. In the bag were found shirts, collars, letters, books, papers, hand-kerchiefs, and many other small articles of triffing value, which Mr. "Joe" had no doubt stolen from kerchiefs, and many other small articles of triming value, which Mr. "Joo" had no doubt stolen from one of the tonts at Canvastown. "Joe" is the identical young vagabond whose thievish propensities brought about all the trouble between the Victorian authorities and the Hydah braves in June, 1860, which culminated in their great chieftains, "Capt. John" and his brother, losing their lives in the prison-yard, at the hands of three or four polecemen, whom they had assaulted with knives. "Joe," in June, '60, robbed a house uptown of some baby-clothes and was arrested for the offence; when brought before the magistrate he offered, if allowed to visit the camp, to give up the plunder. The magistrate acceded to his request and sent two policemen with him to the lodges of his friends, then encamped in great force beyond Hope Point, above the site of the old bridge; but on arriving there the officers were assaulted with knives, pistols, stones and bludgeons, and compelled to beat a hasty retreat to town, minus their batons, which were wrested from them by the redskins. This act was the commmencement of a series of outrages committed upon the whites by the Northern Indians. On the demand of Gov. Douglas in person, "Joe" was given up by his friends and sentenced to the chain-gang for six months. Next came the celebrated chain-gang break, when "Joe" again excaped and sought refuge with his "tilicums." The firing into the schooner Royal Charlio, as she was passing Hospital Point, followed the break in a few days, and a detachment of marines from H. M. ship Ganges having been sent for, the lodges were scarched, the whole tribe disarmed, the guilty parties arrested and a large amount of stolen property recovered. During the search the incorrigible rascal "Joe" was uncarthed, and having been triced-up, fifty lashes, well laid on by a mairo'-war's man—who seemed to reliah the job—was giren him under the shit and he was recommitted to prison to serve his time out, which he did. Since that time he has been trequently taken into c

A PRACTICAL ILLUSTRATION .- One of the jail ors, yesterday morning, learned how to fire a new fangled weapon of death in a manner at once practical and alarming. A drunk had been brought in the night before by officer Shapard, and on his person was found a curious-looking, six barreled, revolving pistol, about the size of a common jack-knife, and fitted up with any number of springs, acrows and other zeitnete. It was a hard-looking weapon, and so the jailor thought when he looked at it closely the next reorning. The more he examined, the more puzzled he became. Touch one spring and another spring up with a sharp click, which warned him he was fooling with a dangerous weapon. Puzzled half to death, he called to the now sobered man, and asked him to explain the principle on which the "animal" worked "Certainly, sir," says the drank, "with pleasure; you see this is a Kimington—a new in rention—came out aince the war commenced. It's one of the most consenient little weapons you ever saw, It works like a charm; and then it's so tafe—that's like chief recommedation. Why, a child might handle it and it wouldn't go off unless he wanted it to. Just look here, how easy the thing's done. You quietly touch this round spring with the tip of your forefinget—so! That's it. Next, you, with your thumb, raise this hammer in this style." Click "said the pistol sharply, and several other prisoners, who had gathered interestedly about, started back in alarm. "Don't be alarmed, gentlemen," said the insupulator; "I tell you its all right. There's no danger. Why, its just as e-c-asy as—as—rolling off alog. After you've lifted that hammer, you just run your hand back so, and elevate it to an angle of about f-ty-fire degrees—in this manner—that is provided you don't want to kill ampody—and it goes off just as e-c-asy—"CLICK! BANG" went the pistol and whiz went the ball within an inch of the jailor's ear, and buried itself in one of the oaken planks of the jailor, remarked, "It a pretty thing, aint it? and then its so simple and so safe!—a child might handle it." The jailor, perfectly satisfed with the explanation and the practical illustration afforded, quickly put the strange concern out of sight in his desk. person was found a curious-looking, six barreled, revolving pistol, about the size of a common jack-

MEMORIAL.-A memorial to Her Majesty's Government praying for the grant of subsidy to a line of steam vessels from Panama to Victoria, connecting at the former port with the Southampton steamers, was yesterday circulated in town and numerously signed.

WHY SO FEW EASTERN LETTERS ARE RECEIV-BD HERE .- The San Francisco Bulletin says that about 25,000 letters are detained on the overland mail route on account of trouble with the Indians. The probability is that they will remain there for

THE CAMELS .- These animals are to be sent above Lillouet Flat shortly to pack provisions, &c., last on the new line of road. The heaviest load yet placed upon any one of them is about 350 pound, but it is supposed that when in good trim each animal will pack nearly double that weight.

New Express Office -Mr Frank Barnard of Barnard's Express, has opened an office on Yates

a half-breed child, afflicted with the small pox, to the Hospital. The bodies of three Indians, who died from the same disease, were resterday reported festering in the sun on the beach agreement of the cold cottager was the Bible. ed festering in the sun on the beach at the rear of the Government Buildings.

FOR STICKEEN.-Three cancer and two boats cleared yesterday for Stickeen River. They contain a crew of six men each.

Tower Our .- The schooner W. L. Richardson Caledonia. The schooner is bound for Nanaimo to load with coal for Portland.

FOR FRASER RIVER .- The steamer Enterprise, with a full freight, 60 passengers, and 30 head of

live stock, left yesterday morning for New West-TREASURE SHIPMENTS .- Wells, Fargo & Co.

shipped per Sierra Nevada, \$12,838; and per Oregon, \$15,472-total \$29,310.

OF The Sierra Nevada left Esquimalt for San elseo direct at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon with 40 passengers.

1 F Provisions are scarce in Washoe Valley flour selling at \$40,250 per barrel.

House of Assembly

FRIDAY, May 23, 1862.

House met at 3½ o'clock.
Present-Spenker Helmcken, and Messrs. Ring,
Burnaby, Cary. Franklin, McDonald.
Third reading of the buil to confirm the appointment of certain persons as Revisors under the
Real Estate Act, 1860.—Passed.
Harbor Dues Act amendment bill read a first

A time.

A message from the Legislative Council, and nouncing the passage of the Supply Bills, and recommending that in future all sums of money, dates and nunerals in bills be expressed in words, and not in numbers, and inserted in the body of bills, instead of schedules, was read.

House in Committee on the bill to authorize the Chief Justice to appoint the Registrar of the Court receiver of moneys due the Crown, and to appoint Commissioners to take the testimony of married women in private.

The bill passed the Committee and was reported to the House.

Mr. Cary moved the second reading of the bill

to the House.

Mr. Cary moved the second reading of the bill to incorporate the city of Victoria. Mr. Ring had great pleasure in seconding. Messrs. Franklin and Burnapy hoped the bill would pass this session. Passed to Committee.

Adjourned till Tuesday, 27th inst, at 3 p. m.

QUBEN'S BIRTHDAY. - The forty-third anniversary of Her Majesty's Birthday will be celebrated to-day in a fitting manner. The represen-tatives of every nation resident here have signified their intention of joining with their British fellow citizens in the festivities of the occasion, and, we understand, there will be a general closing of stores The races will commence at 1 o'clock precisely.

THE RACES .- Mr. Wilcox, of the Royal Hotel, and Mr. Davis, of the Star and Garter, will open refreshment stand at the race course to-day and on Monday.

THE LONDON "TIMES" ON THE MERRIMAC-MONITOR FIGHT .- The London Times of March 26th has an editorial on the recent engagement at Hampton Roads, where the iron-clad Merrimac and Monitor so destinguished themselves. After recapitulating the general circumstances of the

recapitulating the general circumstances of the battle it says:

Facts like these may well induce us to reflect. We find that a wooden vessel when matched against an iron one is literally as helpless as predicted. The Merrimae did actually knock the Cumberland "into matches," and in a very few minutes, but when she was encountered by a ship of her own class an action of five hours ensued with no great damage to either side. Yet we cannot imagine that either of these vessels made any approach in strength or power to the frigates we have built on this side of the Atantic. The Monitor was to be finished in 100 days, and at a cost of less than £60,000, while the urgent needs of the Confederates forbid us to believe that any great amount of time or money could have been spent on the Merrimae. Nevertheless, these extemy officed from sides are sufficient to give a character to the whole war, and, if they had not neutralized each other, either of them would probably have given a good account of an entire squadron of the enamy. What a sailing ship is to a steamer an ordinary steamer is considerated of the constructions of the enamy.

g wat, and, it mey had probably have given a good account of an entire squadron of the enjary. What a sailing ship is to a steamer an ordinary steamer is to an iran-clad frigate. It will be remembered that the Americans were slow to recognize the new principle, and most reluctant to ad-pt it; but when the time for action arrived necessity made itself felt, and they have now given the theory all the practical confirmation it needed.

There is one other consideration, to which we may draw from the operations of the American beligerents. The alleged efficiency of guaboats against heavier vessels has been disproved. The Confederates appear to have built on this theory at first, but their "mosquito flotillas" have never succeded. Neither at Port Royal nor Roanoks did their stock of gunboats produce the least effect against the large ships of the Federals. Vessels of this class operating upon rivers in conjunction with land forces have proved of the greatest service; indeed, the Northeness owe most of their successes to them; but in narrow seas and against heavy frigates or sloops, the small craft have been found as useless as a fleet of canoes. No gunboats, as far as we can judge, will do the work of our Warriors, nor will any frigate, however well armed or commanded, be able to make wood stand against iron. Our obligations in this matter have proved costly, but it is evident that the "reconstruction of our nary" was not commenced an hour too soon.

THE PLOT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT'S LIFE -The Baltimore correspondent of the New York Econing Post, writing under date of March 27th, gives some interesting particulars in connection with an attempt to take the President's life, just before his inauguration. He says;

with an attempt to take the fresheats life, just before his inauguration. He says;

For a long time it was believed that an Italian barber of this city was the Orsini who underdook to slay President Lincoln on his journey to the Capital in February, 1861, and it is possible he was one of the plotters; but it has come our on a recent trial of a man named Byrne, in Richmond, that he was the captain of the band that was to take the life of Lincoln. This Byrne used to be a motorious gambler, of Baltimore, and emigrated to Richmond shortly after the 19th of April, of bloody memory. He was recently arrested in Jeff. Davis' Capital on a charge of keeping a gambling house and of disloyalty to the chief traitor's pretended Government. Wigfall testified to Byrne's loyalty to the rebel cause, and gave in evidence that byrne was the captain of the gang who were to kill Lincoln, and upon this evidence it appears he was let 40. Of course, to be guilty of such an intended crime is a mantle large enough to cover up all other sins against society and Divine law. So Wigfall has revealed the Baltimore Orsini at last. What will your Videcq say to this? We are, nevertheless, grateful to Kennedy for his successful prevention of the scheme of assassination.

OUR EXCELLENT QUEEN .- The London cor-OUR EXCELLENT QUEEN.—The London cor-respondent of the San Francisco Bulletin relates the following: "Your readers know how homely and affable Victoria of England is in her High-land home of Balmeral, or if they don't know, they ought to know, for your 'own correspon-dent' has not been silent on the subject, and there has been abundance of collateral evidence to sup-port his testimony. But Victoria is not less home-Barnard's Express, ...
street, opposite Langley street, and appointed as the custom house brokerage and forwarding business at New Westminster.

Dr. Atkinson.—This gentleman, against whom a suit was recently commenced by Mr. Frontin, for malpractice, which the plaintiff slieged he had sustained from the defendant, in the treatment of a suitained from the defendant, in the treatment of a broken finger, left yesterday on the Sierra Nevada for Australia, via San Francisco.

Thursday sent

THE NUTMEG DISEASE.—Much of the prosperity of Penang, was owing, in days gone by, to the cultivation of nutmer. This plant is now affected by a disease for which no remedy has been discovered, and the cultivation of it is no longer remunative. Accordingly, many owners of nutmeg plantations are therefore turning their attention to the culture of cocoanuts and betel-nuts, planting them wherever the nutmeg trees have perished. An effort is also being made to cultivate cinehons. The Penang Argus asks why tea should not flourish upon the hills, and evidently thinks it worth while that some experiment should be made for turning them to some profitable account. The same paper also points out that cotton might be cultivated to advantage in Penang.—Hunts Merchants' Magazine.

The Yacker "America."—The famous yacht THE NUTMEG DISEASE.-Much of the prosp

chants' Magazine.

The Yacht "America,"—The famous yacht America has fallen a prize to the United States. The rebels, after the capture of Jacksonville, towed her up a creek, ten miles below Donn's Lake, just above Pitatka, and sunk her, having previously filled her with Iron. She was discovered and raised by Lieut Commanding Stevens, of the guabust Ottawa. At last accounts she was lying at the dock at Jacksonville. The America, it is stated, was purchased of her English owners by the rebel government, last where, for g30,000, and was brought over for the express purpose of earrying Mason and Sideli to Europe.

THE ENGLISH WHEAT CROP.—The signs, at the latest dates, indicated a good crop for the next harvest in England—such a one, in breadth as well as in luxuriance, as will probably form a strong contrast to the uncommonly deficient yields of the last two years. Accounts from about 400 to places in England state that the fields generally look very well—appearing equal to any ever seen there in March. This, with the breadth of ground sown, indicates a satisfactory harvest.

But it must be borne in mind that, good as the harvests may be, England has now annually to import about 5,000,000 quarters, or 49,000,000 of bushels of wheat to supply the deficiency between the usual harvest and the common requirements in that country—her manufacturing and commercial population, as shown in statistics for many years, requiring that much more than her own usual harvests supply beyond the necessities of the farming community.

The great deficiency of the crop of 1860, in quality as well as quantity, swelled the requirement for foreign wheat to about \$5,000,000 of bushels that year; while last year, 1861, the defectiveness in quantity (the quality being good) increased the usual want by about 24,000,000—making the actual requirement of England, to supply the deficiency between the harvestof 1861 and that of 1862, about 64,000,000—taking the most moderate reliable estimate.

This is independent of what may be needed to sapply the demands made by France and other countries upon the English market—the needs of France, resulting from the failure of the last crop, being greater even than those of England, though the French have imported largely from England as well as from America and Russia, since last Septembers of the granaries of those countries, setting asside the wants prevalent in several other Enropean countries, will make the demand steady.

The bareness of the grananes of those countries setting aside the wants prevelent in several other European countries, will make the demand steady however moderate the prices, for American and other supplies, until a late period of the present season.—N. Y. World.

CHINESE REPARTEE.—A teacher was in the habit of sleeping in the day time, but would not suffer his pupil to nod for a moment. One day the pupil accessed him after his nap, in a complaining tone, and begged to know why he might not sleep too.

sleep too.
"Boy," said the tutor, "in my sleep I dream of Cheu-kung, and have converse with him."
The next morning the pupil takes pattern by his master. The master, giving him a rap and arousing him, exclaims, "for shame, how can you do so."

Save the pupil "I too have neen seeing Cheu-

do so "
Says the pupil, "I too have been seeing Cheukung."
"And what did Cheu-kung say to you?"
"Cheu-kung," replies the pupil, "tells me that
yesterday he nad no communication whatever with
my reverend master.

my reverend master.

GIVEN TO THE CLERGY.—The Surveyor General of Washington Territory has decided upon the claim of the Catholic Mission of St. James to station at Vancouver, in that Territory. It is an interesting case, and the decision has been published in pamphlet form. The Surveyor, in the spirit in which, he says, the Government made the grant—that is, "in attestation of a growing regard for religion, morality, &c."—decides that the Mission was regularly established at Vancouver in 1838, under the auspieces of the Bishop of Quebec, and has been kept in operation ever since, for the to 649 acres of land, which includes the present town of Vancouver.

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MUNIFICENCE OF AN AMERICAN IN LONDON -Mr. George Peabody, the American Banker in London, has given the sum of £150,000 to "ame-liorate the condition of the poor and needy of Lon-don and to promote their comfort and happiness."

DIVINE SEVICE.

Congregational Church, Fort street; Rev. M. Mac fie, pastor. Service at the above place of worship on Sunday at 11 A M., and at 7 P M. Sunday school at 2 P M. Service at the above place of worship of

Presbyterian Church-Divine Service in Moore's Hall on Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening, at 6% o'clock

The Rev. Charles Satchel will preach on the next

Sabbath, May 18th, at the Rifle Company's Hall, or Yates street Service will commence at 11 o'clock A. M., and 734 P. M.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

May 23—Sloop H L Tibbals, Leighton, Port Towns

May 23-Stmr Sierra Nevada, Huntington.

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Schr H L Richardson, Collins, Nanaimo
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Sloop Fetrel, Smith, Port Townsend
Boat Susan, Prince, Stickeen
Baut Henry, Dechem, Stickeen
Canoe Bayne, Flott, Stickeen
Canoe Tolo, Henry, Stickeen
Canoe Hyack, Hughes, Stickeen

Imports to Victoria, V. I., for the Month Ending April 31st, 1862. Alcohol, 2! cs...\$ 388 Hats, 6 cs......\$

Atteometric -	1250	Horses, 2	100
Ale. 58 cs			980
Blankets. 51 bales.	1060	Hay, 32 tons	1444
Beans, 139 sks	6.26	Lard, 106 cases	106
Brandy, 45 bbls	473		
Boots & Shs, 219 cs	15.233	Liquor, 275 cs	2595
utter, 246 firkins	7202	Mdse. 484 cs	29,615
Bags, 16 bales	640		2200
Bacon, 183 cs	7681	Mules. 42	930
Beet, 71 cks	2950	Oil, 105 csks	976
Billiard Tables. 3	1200	Ovsters. 58 cs	770
Bitters, 71 cs	535	Opium, 3 ca	1845
Barley, 837 sks	990	Pork. 275 bbls	3070
Bran, 299 sks	805	Paper, 58 bales	1727
Bread, 41 bxs	122	Paint, 2 cs	200
Caudles, 216 bxs	826		4383
Cigars. 45 cs	4193	Rope, 2l colls	133
Cider, 96 casks	352	Stoves, 16	290
Coffee, 186 bags	4928	Sundries, 219 pkgs	4420
Cheese, 43 cs	1137	Soup, 575 bxs	657
Clothing, 37 cs	6271	Sugar, 764 mats	6629
Camphene, 200 cs	2750	Syrup, 173 kgs	640
Champagne, 35 cs.	518	Stoves, 112 okgs	1535
Corn Meal, 41 sks	154	Salt. 10 sacks	34
Cattle, 7 head	350	Sheep, 767 head	2778
Camels, 22 do.,	5000	Ship Chandlery,	
Dry Goods, 155 cs	22,334	76 pkgs	1031
Drugs, 128 cs	2599	Stationery, 17 cs	= 687
Duck, 41 bales	4364	Tobacco, 130 bxs.,	5074
Doors, 30 pkgs	150	Tea. 445 chests	48/10
Express Matter, 44		Trunks, 29	391
FK 98	14.806	Vegetables, 45 sks	1/65
Flour, 4640 sks	17,835	Vinegar, 19 cake	201
Furniture, 108 pkgs	1757	Wine, 152 csks	2:23
Grain, 655 sacks	920	Whisky 22 bbls	627
Gin, lesk.	40	Wagon Materials,	
Glassware, 19 pkgs	851	31 pkgs	150
Groceries, 1076 cs	7170	Yeast Powdr, 33 cs	951
Hardware, 1367 pk.	18,808	to a map of state the last the	

Total value, Total Value #250,039

HONOLULU, 8. I.
Colice, 625 Bags. 497 | Potatoes, 8 weet, 92 |
Molasses, 249 kgs. 1945 |
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Molasses, 250 kgs. 1958 |
Mules, 77 head | 3500 | Tobacco, 80 bxs. 1763

Total value, 822,214

Apples, 262 bxs. \$ 300 Flour, 300 sks. \$ 65
Bacon. 3 cs. 220 Grain, 750 sks. 8 60
Bran, 264 tons. \$ 5700 Herses, 11 head. 900
Cattle, 17 head. 9 956 Lard, 5 kgs. 80
Eggs, 14 bxs. 250

MISCELLANEOUS

W. B. Smith. IN ABDITION TO HIS LARGE STOCK of choice brands of select English Groceries,

HAS JUST EECEIVED, Ex Salamander, from London,

An Assorted Invoice of General Oilmen Stores.

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Assorted Sauces, (genuine brands)
Capucine Capces,
Jans and Jellies,
Orange Marnalade,
Tart Fruit.
Smyrna Figs, (new)
Kegs Oat Meal,
Split Peas,
Cases Price's Candles,
Meats and Soups,
Raspberry Vinegar,
And a variety of other DESIRABLE GOOE

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The PROPRIETOR HAVING LEASED FIRE above House for a term of years, and having had to the roughly renevated and supplied throughly the recent data of supplied throughly the recent that the traveler, or those who may desire board by the day or week, will find it one of the most confortable and pleasantly situated Hotels in this city. The cultivary department is under the superintendence of a first-clars Cook and the table will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords.

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A Saloon will sbortly be opened in connection with the Establishment, in which will be found the choicest Wines, Liquors and Cigars
Victoria, May 21, 1862.

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NOTICE.



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All persons having complaints to make will please attend during those hours.

By order

J. L. BUCKLEY, Clerk.

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LA FLOR DE CHRYSOPOLIS, Regalia LA FLOR DE CAPERUSA, Regalia Bri

IA MATIKADA, Media Regalia,
MIN DON HEBAN, Regalia Espartero;
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LA INGENUIDAD, Regalia Londres;

EL PRIMOR, Regalia Londres.

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From Douglas to Handcock's. 4 miles.
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Vancouver Island Colony, Notice of Public Works. OFFICE OF LANDS AND WORKS.

TENDERS TO CONSTRUCT FOR-tions of the Methosin Road from Victoria to Parsons' Bridge, according to a Plan and Specifica-tion to be seen at this office, will be received by the undersigned up to the 22d instant.

-ALSO-

Tenders to grade and macadamize a portion of Fort street trom Douglas street towards school house, according to Section and Specification to be seen at this office, will be received by undersigned up to the 22d instant.

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NOTICES.

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VICTORIA. May 19th, 1862.

THE UNDERSIGNED MERCHANTS AGREE to close their Stores from this date at 8 o'clock,

N. Saturdays excepted:

A. Hoffmun,
A. Moore & Co,
K. Gambitz.
A. Lasi.
J. Lasi.
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J. Mebster & Co,
H. M. Cohen,
M. M. S. Wolff,
M. Meyer,
Lewis Lewis,

Victoria And Marchaeler,
Koshland Bros,
Lewis Lewis,

NOTICE.

Wagon Road between Chapman's Bar and Boston Bar.

WORK WILL BE COMMENCED ON THIS Road immediately. 250 MEN

May find employment by applying on the work to JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

NOTICE, MR. JOHN P. COUCH IS THIS DAY admitted a partner in my house, and from this date the business will be conducted under the firm name of G. Vignolo & Co.

Victoria, April 10, 1862.

NOTICE.

N. JEFFRIES, HOUSE AND SIGN all persons indebted to him to settle their accounts forthwith: and persons to whom he is indebted are requested to send in their accounts for payment. Victoria, May 20, 1862. NOTICE.

NOTICE.

Victoria Gas Company Limited.

PARTIES REQUIRING TO BE SUPPLIED with Gas will please call and leave their names without delay at the Company's office, corner of yates and Langley streets, so that proper arrangements may be made while the street Mains are being laid.

Chairman To Contractors and Builders. TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until Tuesday, 10 a. m., the 27th inst., for the stretched of the cond Story on two Brick Buildings, 17 ms and Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

the undersigned. R. LEWIS,
Government st.
Victoria, May 17th, 1862. m19 td

NOTICE. A I.I. PARTIES WHO ARE INDEBT-ded to Mr. S. RINGO, late Hotel keeper of this place, will at once call on the undersigned for the settlement of their Bills, to prevent further expenses.

SIMON REINHART, Attorney in fact. Removal. C. VIGNOLO HAS REMOVED FROM I. the corner of Yates and Whart streets to Capt. REID'S NEW BRICK STORE, on Wharf street.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT In consequence of the want of provisions in the Cariboo mines and the scarcity of supplies throughout the count v. Free Miners holding claims in the Alexandria District, will not be required to the possession of them until the first day of July next ensuling.

(Signed) T. ELWYN.
Assistant Gold Commissioner.
Alexandria District
Lillooet, B. C., 6th May, 1862. Reward of \$25.

WHEREAS THE ORIGINAL DEED
of Conveyance from the Hudson's Bay Com
pany to Fandelle Maylederos of Town Lot No. 323,
lated in the month of July, 1888, has been lost. I.
Edwa d Langley, of Victoria, give notice that I will
pay the above reward to any person who will fortuwith hand me over the above Deed for the purpose
of Regist ation.

Johnson street Town Lot 323. m7 3m

Dissolution Copartnership. THE COPARINERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTIng between JUSEPH TAYLOR, J. C. CALBREATH and DAVID LEATHERMAN, doing business on and about Seaton, Seaton Lake, under the
name of TAYLOR & CO, was dissolved by mutual
content on 1st day of January, 1862, Messrs J. C.
Calbreath and David Leatherman having withdrawn
from the concern. Parties having claims against
the concern before that date will present the same to
JUSEPH TAYLOR & CO., Port Seaton, by whom
all debts due the concern will be collected.

Copartnership. JOSEPH TAYLOR and WALTER B. ROBINSON having formed a Copartnership under the name and style of TAYLOR & CO. Steamboating Teaming, Hotel-keeping and Ranching on and about Seaton Lake, would respectfully say to the public that the good reputation already bestowed on them shall be continued and no pains spared to render general satisfaction.

TAYLOR & CO.

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WM. SELLACK, Proprietor

Jan'v 1st. 1862. D- British Columbian please copv.

NOTICE. ESQUIMALT WHARF. FROM THIS DATE RATES OF WHARFAGE

Cocan Steamers, 255 Inward and Outward Freight 50 cents per ton. Ditto, when received or delivered over Steamers sides by lighters 50 cents per ton. Drays and Conveyances, rates as before, and in all cases payable at the entrance before proceeding on

NOTICE. The Lytton and Cariboo Road.

A LI. PERSONS DESIROUS OF ORtaining work on the Wagon Road now in course
of con-truction from Lytton, on the Fraser, to Lake
La Hache, can learn all necessary particulars by applying to
WALTON & BARAETT,
General Agents,
myl tf
Cor. of Yates and Commercial sts.

NOTICE.

MR J. G. NORKIS WILL SHORTLY LEAVE to British Columbia, and requests all persons to whom he is indebted to send in their accounts to his solicitor, Mr. Drake, Government street, to be discharged, it found correct. And all persons indebted to him will please settle the same. Victoria, V. I., April 28, 1892. A Card.

A LL PERRONS DESIROUS OF OB-dianing work on the Wagon Road now being constructed by us, are requested to report themselves at Lilooet, as the route is now open and the work has been commenced. Wages, \$49 per month and the men furnished with tents, provisions, tools, &c. Victoria, April 22, 1802. ap23 2m

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unscrupulous parties, who are introducing a spurious
mixture purporting to be his Wine Bitters, which
noxious compounds are put up in the same style of
bottles, labels, etc., so as to pass for the Nainsevain
brand. We call attention to this fact so that our
citizeus may be upon their guard, and that wan
they ask for Sainsevain's Bitters, see
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TAPS—A large assortment, including California pattern Lager Beer Taps, Beer and Wine Taps, last and loose key.

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e obtained at all the wayside honses BARRY & ADLER. Forks of Quesnelle, Jan. 30, 1862. ap18 2m

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